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## Clinton County Veterans Receive Korean War Medal

*Area veterans honored with new Korean war decoration approved by Congress*

LANSING – Six veterans residing in Clinton County received a new service medal recognizing their service in the Korean War during the Korean War Commemorative Medal Presentation and Appreciation Ceremony sponsored by Sen. Valde Garcia, R-Howell, on August 7.

“It was an honor to recognize the veterans who served the United States of America during the Korean war with the new medal recently authorized by Congress,” Garcia said. “Korean War veterans play an important role in the history of our country, their contributions will not be forgotten.”

The following veterans earned the new Korean War decoration:

- Lewis Baese of Elsie
- Richard Cook of Pewamo
- Ralph Green of St. Johns
- Clifford Reynolds of Elsie
- Richard Sturgis of Elsie
- Richard Thelen of Westphalia

Garcia hosted the Korean War Commemorative Medal Presentation and Appreciation Ceremony for Korean war veterans and their families on August 7 at the American Spirit Centre in Brighton.